

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

District of Nebraska

United States of America

v.

Joel M. Melendez

Case No: 8:13CR277

USM No: 25848-047

Date of Original Judgment: 01/13/2014

Date of Previous Amended Judgment:

(Use Date of Last Amended Judgment if Any)

David R. Stickman

Defendant's Attorney

ORDER REGARDING MOTION FOR SENTENCE REDUCTION
PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2)

Upon motion of ☒ the defendant ☐ the Director of the Bureau of Prisons ☐ the court under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) for a reduction in the term of imprisonment imposed based on a guideline sentencing range that has subsequently been lowered and made retroactive by the United States Sentencing Commission pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 994(u), and having considered such motion, and taking into account the policy statement set forth at USSG §1B1.10 and the sentencing factors set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a), to the extent that they are applicable,

IT IS ORDERED that the motion is:

☐ DENIED. ☒ GRANTED and the defendant's previously imposed sentence of imprisonment (as reflected in the last judgment issued) of 57 months is reduced to 46 months.

(Complete Parts I and II of Page 2 when motion is granted)

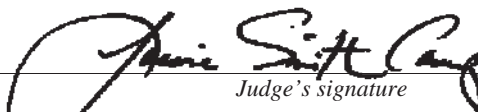
Except as otherwise provided, all provisions of the judgment dated 01/13/2014 shall remain in effect.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Order Date: 05/14/2015

Effective Date: 11/02/2015

(if different from order date)



Judge's signature

Laurie Smith Camp, Chief U.S. District Judge

Printed name and title

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Joel M. Melendez

DEFENDANT: _____

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I. COURT DETERMINATION OF GUIDELINE RANGE (*Prior to Any Departures*)

Previous Total Offense Level: 25

Amended Total Offense Level: 23

Criminal History Category: I

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Previous Guideline Range: 57 to 71 months

Amended Guideline Range: 46 to 57 months

II. SENTENCE RELATIVE TO THE AMENDED GUIDELINE RANGE

- ☒ The reduced sentence is within the amended guideline range.
- ☐ The previous term of imprisonment imposed was less than the guideline range applicable to the defendant at the time of sentencing as a result of a substantial assistance departure or Rule 35 reduction, and the reduced sentence is comparably less than the amended guideline range.
- ☐ The reduced sentence is above the amended guideline range.

III. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

The Defendant's Unopposed Motion to Reduce Sentence - USSC Amendment (Filing No. 42) is granted and the parties' Stipulation regarding the Unopposed Motion to Reduce Sentence - USSC Amendment (Filing No. 43) is approved.